(b) to (d) No centralised information regarding grant of incentives/ allowances, including Special (Duty) Allowance, is maintained in respect of semi-Central Government Departments/PSUs. So far as Railway employees are concerned, they are entitled to SDA on the same criteria as applicable to other Central Government employees. The All India Transfer Liability for this purpose is uniformly determined by applying tests of recruitment zone, promotion zone etc., *i.e.* whether recruitment to service/cadre/post has been made on all India basis and whether promotion is also based on all India common seniority list for the service/cadre/post as a whole.

Report of the Committee set up to Examine Placement of EDP Staff

3877. SHRI BRAHMAKUMAR BHATT : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have set up a Committee to examine the question of placement of EDP Staff in the data processing division of National Sample Survey Organisation subsequent to the judgement delivered by the Hon'ble Supreme Court;

(b) if so, whether this said Committee report is under consideration in the Ministry of Finance; and

(c) if so, what is the time frame to implement the Committee report ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The report of Committee is being examined and a decision will be taken shortly.

Credit flow to Agriculture in Gujarat

3878. SHRI AHMED PATEL : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have issued any guidelines to the Public Sector Banks to improve credit flow to agriculture in Gujarat particularly to the tribals of the State; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL) : (a) and (b) Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has